GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1387
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SHIFTING OF LOCO SHEDS
Murmu Shri Hemlal

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Loco sheds of the Railways particularly in Eastern Railway have been shifted to other Divisions;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether a large number of running staff/mechanical staff have been rendered surplus due to shifting of these loco sheds; and

(d) the steps being taken by the Railways to utilize the surplus staff of these loco sheds?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

(a): No, Sir. However, due to creation of additional new Railway Zones, the administrative control of some of the sheds has been transferred from one Railway to another. But, there is no physical shifting of any shed.

(b) to (d): Do not arise.